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METHOD FOR PREVENTING

MOLD FORMATION BY USING HYDROPHOBIC MATERIALS, AND MOLD-CONTROLLING AGENT FOR BUILDING PARTS

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

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Prior to examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.